Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20554

Connect America Fund	In the Matter of
) WC Docket No. 10-90	

IS NOT 100 PERCENT OVERLAPPED BY UNSUBSIDIZED COMPETITORS SHOWING THAT STUDY AREA NO. 330896 LAKEFIELD TELEPHONE COMPANY

included in its Wisconsin study area (Study Area No. 330896). This showing is made pursuant Percent Overlapped by Unsubsidized Competitors), DA 15-868, released July 29, 2015 Competition Bureau Publishes Preliminary Determination of Rate-Of-Return Study Areas 100 ರ unsubsidized competitor does not offer service to all locations within the census block areas instructions Telephone and schedule Company set forth in the ("Lakefield") hereby Commission's Public Notice submits evidence (Wireline that an

currently serves approximately 1,205 access lines area comprised of 307 census blocks in Manitowoc County in east central Wisconsin. Lakefield is a rural local exchange carrier ("RLEC") that serves a single Wisconsin study Lakefield

by Time Warner served by Mercury Network ("Mercury"), 31 census blocks by Comcast, and 23 census blocks found at www.fcc.gov/maps), 301 of the census blocks in Lakefield's study area are allegedly indicated on the attached "100% Overlap Map" of Lakefield's study area (Attachment

Lakefield decided to investigate whether Mercury was actually able to serve various locations in within Lakefield's study area (that is, the areas colored in light pink on the Attachment A map), telephone services. Mercury is a wireless broadband service provider that offers Internet access and voice Given that Mercury is the only alleged competitor serving most of the areas

the green-colored area where Mercury indicates that it can provide service) Mercury service at the location (that is, where the red marker indicating the address lies outside actual known addresses coverage indicated in separate pages of Exhibit B, these address searches produced maps indicating "Our Search" box various actual known addresses within the indicated Mercury-only service area. clicked first on "Internet" and then on "High Speed Internet," and typed into the "Address the Mercury-only area. Internet." area is shown in green. If you're in the greens, you can get Mercury High Speed In a non-exhaustive search, Lakefield employees have found at least twenty-two (22) Ħ. Lakefield employees went to Mercury's website (www.mercury.net), the Mercury-only service area where customers CANNOT

serve area be declared to remain eligible for high-cost support preliminary basis to be 100 percent overlapped by unsubsidized competitors, and that such study removed competitor, at In light of the clear admissions in Mercury's online service availability tool that it cannot least twenty-two (22) locations within the area where it is Lakefield's only alleged from the Lakefield requests Commission's that list of rate-of-return study areas that were determined on a its Wisconsin study area (Study Area No. 330896) be

Respectfully submitted,

LAKEFIELD TELEPHONE COMPANY

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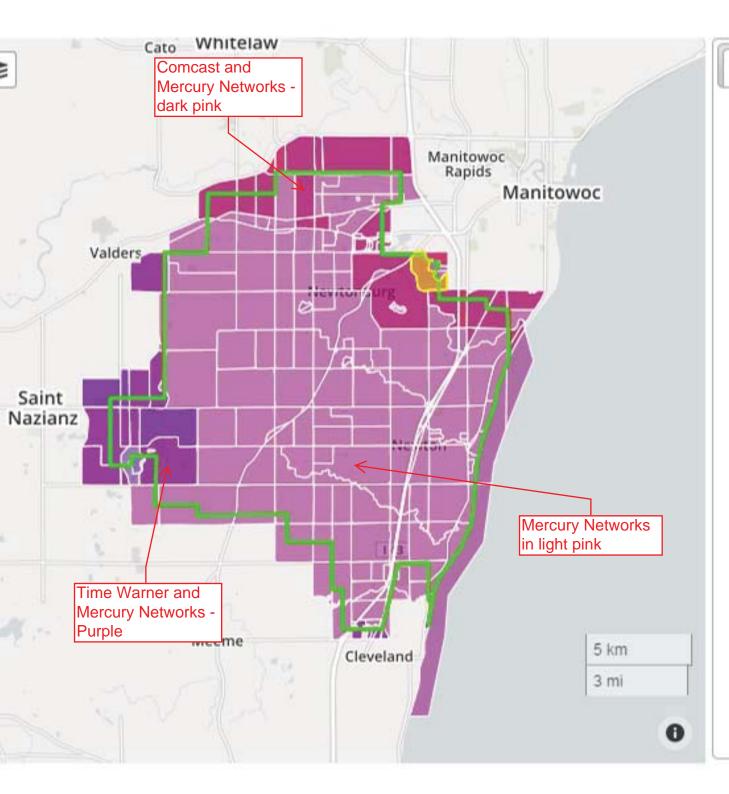
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Summary Company Competitor

LAKEFIELD TEL CO, WI

SAC ID:	330896
Number of Blocks:	307

Competitors in SAC:

Name	# of Blocks
Comcast	31
Mercury Network	301
Time Warner	23
none	3

Block Info:

Block FIPS:	550710006005078
Number of Competitors:	2
	Comcast
Competitors:	Mercury Network

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